ject of hides, with no conclusive result as far as is known. The indications are, however, that hides will go on the free list.

Attitude of President.

The conferees are still in controversy over many important features of the bill. Among the schedules on which final agreements are yet to be concluded are those affecting cotton, lumber, hides, iron ore, coal, hosiery,

cluded are those affecting cotton, lumber, hides, iron ore, coal, hosiery, gloves and print paper,
Practically one full week has been eccupied by the conferees in an effort to settle these questions. Assistance has been given by the President, who has done his utmost to compose differences between Senate and House conferees.

Most of the time has been devoted Most of the time has been devoted to the discussion of hides. This subject was complicated by reason of statements coming from boot and shoe interests that, as stated above, they were ready to agree to substantial reductions in the duties on leather goods if hides were put on the free list. These interests apparently felt sure that there could be no reductions on boots and shoes below 15 per cent. ad valorem, the House rate, which is lower than the Senate rate or the lower than the Senate rate or

existing law.

President Taft stated to a number of his callers that he would insist upon a reduction to at least 10 per cent. ad valorem, with proportionate decreases in the rates on other leather decreases in the rates on other leather goods. Advocates of protected hides declared there must be a proportionate reduction on leather to offset the abolition of the duty on hides if their votes were to be counted upon to adopt the conference report. This statement came from such men as Senator Warren, who has been one of the Senate stalwarts on tariff matters, and Senator Smoot, the right-hand at \$20. the right-hand at \$20. and Senator Smoot, the right-hand man of Chairman Aldrich in making

up the Senate tariff bill.

Filled with Consternation.
As a result of this declaration, some of those who are looking for an early adjournment of tariff differences were filled with consternation. Senator Aldrich was appealed to by other conferes to learn what chance there would be for the adoption of a joint resolution authorizing the conferees to adopt rates on leather goods lower than those fixed by either house. fixed by either house. Some of the Western Senators al-

Some of the Western Senators al-ready are said to be greatly dissatis-fied with the action taken by the con-ference in decreasing Senate rates on lead and its products.

Senator Aldrich was of the apinion that the conferees could reduce rates below those fixed by either house with-out the adoption of a concurrent res-pution. But it was pointed out to day out the adoption of a concurrent res-billion. But it was pointed out to-day that a point of order might be raised against such procedure. Therefore a canvass will be made of the two bodies to ascertain whether a concurrent res-billion conferring authority to lower rates below those fixed by either house sould be adopted.

Until this information is at hand it is improbable that the question of fix-ing the duty on hides or leather goods will be closed.

Iron ore was taken up to-day, but

ble at 45 cents a ton, although some of the conferees think it should be 40 cents, and others desire a 50-cent duty. It is settled that the reciprocal free trade provision adopted by the House will be eliminated; also that oil will go on the free list, although the rvailing duty provision will be

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SOUTHERN MILL MEN APPEAL TO PRESIDENT

Iron ore was taken up to-day, but the rate was not fixed. A report that the conferees had agreed upon a duty of 20 cents a ton was accepted as true by Senators and Representatives from States interested in the iron ore question. Some of the conferees said to-might, however, that they did not think the rate would be above 15 cents a ton.

Duty on Print Paper.

Senator Hale is making a stubborn fight for the retention of the \$4 a ton rate on print paper fixed by the Senate. He has figured out that the difference between the cost of manufacture in the United States and Canada, considering transportation, labor and all other charges, is fully \$2.5.75 a ton. It is generally believed that the latter rate will be named by the conference port.

The Senate conferees are insisting upon \$1.50 on rough lumber, while the House members say they will hold out for \$41 to consent to another reduction will be and to of the conference that it is settled that the reciprocal free trade provision adopted by the House will be clied to reduce rates on lower grades of cotton manufacturing in the conference on the tariff bill had decided to reduce rates on lower grades of cotton and maintain Senate rates on lower grades of cotton and maintain Senate rates on lower grades of cotton and maintain Senate rates on lower grades of cotton and maintain Senate rates on lower grades of cotton filt is making a stubborn filt from the conference said to reduce rates on lower grades of cotton that the conference said to reduce rates on lower grades of cotton filt from the conference said to reduce rates on lower grades of cotton filt from the conference said to reduce rates on lower grades of cotton filt from the conference said to reduce rates on lower grades of cotton from the said transportation.

The New York Herald reports that on the final conference on the cotton schedule a reduction will be made of the conference on the cotton and maintain Senate rates on the lower or coarser grades of cotton manufacturing in the long the proposed of the conf CHARLOTTE, N. C., July 24,-South-

Prominent mill men from all over the rejected.

The glove and hostery schedules, tion, and sent messages to Messrs. which were materially increased by Payne and Aldrich.



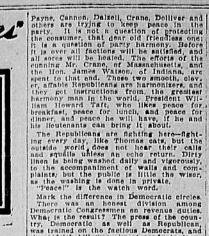
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What is the result? The press of the country, Democratic as well as Republican,
was trained on the factious Democrats, and
the Aldrich bill was aimost ready to leave
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diverted to the Republicans—the real tariff
makers.

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The G, O. P.'s Little Side Play.

The old saying that the more Democrats fight the more Democrats fight the more Democrats there will be has not proven true of recent years. When the Wilson bill passed in 1884 the party was shopelessly divided, and has remained so a wedge that made the split wider.

But it is safe to prediog that when the special class of young men-you're in this class if you're country will be praising Taft for his brave fight for lower rates, and the Republicans parts for its noble efforts.

The G. O. P. knows how to present a front the morning after. II, E. C. B.

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"I cannot express how grateful I feel for Dr. Hartman's kind advice and Perruna."

Spends the Day in the Country With Friends—Well and Active.

BALTIMORE, MD., July 24.—Cardinal Gibons, on this, his seventy-fifth birthday, was as well and active as he has been at any time during the past ten years. He spent the dag quietly at the country place of his friends, Geo. M. and H. F. Shriver, in Carroll country, where he has been since his visit to Washington last week, when he dined with President Taft at the White House. His secretary, the Rfv. Louis O'Donavan, paid him a visit yesterday, and extended to him the congratulations of the priests of his household and the clergy of the archidocese.

The Shrivers had a special family dinner in honor of the event, and the cardinal spent the rest of the day very quietly. The cardinal has always attributed his activity and health in his old age to his prudence in diet and to exercise. Whether in the city or country he takes a long walk every day.

CHARITY IN BOMBAY

ALLEGED YEGGMAN MAY

partly burned during the early hours of Thursday morning, has led to the suspicion that the house was first

The money was in a purse, which was in a glass far with the top screwed on. The fire started in or near the closet in which it was kept. It was at first thought to have been burned, but a search failed to reveal the metal top FOR MORNING AFTER of a search falled to reveal the nor any parts of the glass jar.



Ginnery Set on Fire and People in Dwelling Shocked.

ALBANY, GA. July 24.—Lightning bolts in Dougherty and Mitchell counties to-day hit the big public ginnery of the Jackson Supply Company at Baconton, setting it on five and and destroying it completely, and struck the dwelling of Mrs. C. E. Miller, near the Mitchell county line, shocking every one in the house and killing a goat, chickens and pigs in the barn yard. The bolt twisted a ghotgun in a fantastic shape. Rain saved buddings adjoining the ginnery at Baconton.

ALL'S WELL IN CUBA

Admits Murder; Deptes Rigamy, DENVER, COL. July 24.—J. L. Byrd, the young Momphis, Tenn., shoe clerk, who yesterday admitted he was the man who killed Joseph Black in the

Mrs. Sutton Renews Threat, Bathing Though Counsel Are Trying to Suits, Dissuade Her.

MRS. PARKER TO TAKE STAND

Says She Will Have Something Interesting to Tell When Proper Time Comes.

ANNAPOLIS, MD., July 24.—Confident that the marks upon the remains of Lieutenant James N. Sutton will show that the bullet wound in his head not such as described on the stand during the second investigation here by Dr. Pickerell, the first medical officer to reach the young officer after his death, and that they will prove further that several of his ribs were broken during his *meounter with other officers on the fatal night, Mrs. James N. Sutton renewed to-day her threat of last week to request that her son's body be exhumed. It is known, however, that her counsel are opposed to such a plan and that they will not consent to it until after Surgeon Cook, the medical officer of the first board of inquiry, who is on his way from abroad, has been heard.

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WOMAN WÜRDERD

FOR HER MONEY

BODY Is Found in Thicket Three
Hundred Yards from

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nave stopped the trouble; Bevan, as officer of the guard, tried to do so.

Suicide Theory Supported.

Thus far the prependerance of evidence has appeared to be in favor of the suicide theory, as the two witnesses, who say they were looking at Sutton when the fatal shot was fired, have testified that they say him the

The two witnesses whose testimony has been the other way, are Sergeant Deliart, and Owens, the chauffeur Deliart, and Owens, the chauffeur Deliart forgot so many things about the affair that he aroused a suspicion that perhaps he was covering up something. But not once during his rigorous cross-examination by Attorney Davis did he make a slip, so that the harmful effect he produced, if any, is due to what he did not say rather than to what he did say.

Owens's testimony was to the effect that Adams was the aggressor in the original disturbance and not Sut-

FOR MORNING AFIER

Dr. Cowan Drops Dead.

NASHVILLE. TENN. July 24.—Dr. James B. Gowan, aged seventy-seven at White House of Standing for Consumers.

There is developing here among Southerners who have the material interests of their rest who have the material interests of their rest who have the material interests of their rest without making corresponding refree list without making corresponding refree list without making corresponding refree list without making corresponding refree list. Without making corresponding refree list without making corresponding refree list. Without making on the southern of the souther

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tenant-Governor of the State.

Only one other name has been mentioned in connection with the governorship—that of former State Senator George A. Rivercomb, of Alleghany.

Since the educational qualification for voters, provided by the new Virginia Constitution, went into effect, the negro has been eliminated practically from the situation, and he can no longer be regarded as an issue.

As the liquor question will be a live one during the coming campaign, the platform declaration of the Republicans

MRS. THOMAS HOVER. Every Woman in America is Interested in This Young Matron's Experience. BODY BE EXHUMED MAY DEMAND THAT KODAK TUCKER SPRINGS NEW MANN LETTER

Seeks to Prove by It That Nottoway Candidate Has Made Promises.

PRODUCES EVIDENCE

Strong Attack Is Made in Addresses at Courtland and Franklin.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] SUFFOLK, VA., July 24,—Hon, Harry St. George Tucker at noon to-day addressed an audience of 150 in the courthouse at Courtland, the capital of Southampton county, where he was received with enthusiasm and spoke for one hour and a half. He was introduced by State's Attorney William

James Sebrel.

Mr. Tucker at 5 o'clock this after air. Tucker at 5 o'clock this afternoon spoke to 400 in front of the Virginian Hotel, at Franklin, being presented by Colonel Luther R. Edwards,
late of the Fourth Virginia Infantry
in the Cuban campaign. His address
was appliated and new friends were

man, of the University of Virginia, were to apply for the position of super-intendent of schools of his county to me, I would not regard his application or promise him my support. I leave the public to judge of the effect of such a state of things on the administration of our government."

CHARGED WITH WIFE-MURDER

COMBAT STAGE REACHED BY CANDIDATE MANN

Declares He Could Stop Tucker's Mud-Slinging if Hands Were Untied—Refuses to Use Stand Built By Non-Union Labor.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] . Would be room left to write the Speaking from an automobile, because the stand erected for his use was built by non-union labor, Judge W. H. Change in Anti-Whisky Law and Now They Can Change it Themselves.

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New England's Move.

The crafty manufacturers of New Englands. The change of Addrich, Lodges and he craise, are demanding free hides, free iron annufacturers of that, wonderful regions in annufacturers of that, wonderful regions and west for hides, or import them. The addition of the right to let the foreign hide come in the limber, the iron ore and the coal, and would suffer insancial loss if they were put on the free list without a fair reduction in manufactured articles. But the New England is demandles and shows.

On these issues Republican members of Congress are divised among themselves. West Virginia, Virginia, Kentucky and Wisconsin Republican Congressien are continued in the billing of a high tariff on wool. It is urgued that New England Sendors have insected in the seatule an higher rate on woolen goods than the divided and his associates," has put a duty that is aimost prohibitive on the finer cotton goods, and the West is "There is no doubt in my mind," he added, "that there is an understanding among Aldrich and his fellow-workers in the Senate rate of \$1.56 to \$1.55; coal from 5r cents to \$6 cents, and hides from 15 cents to \$6 cents and colored that himber will be transferred to the free list.

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